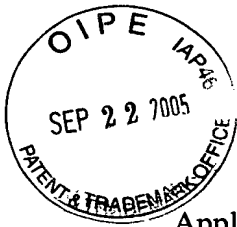


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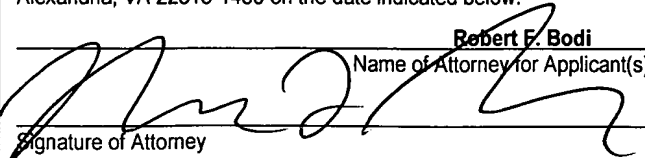
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This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2005 (Paper No. 20050531). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on September 17, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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